COUNCIL BLUFFS.

MINOR MENTION.

Davis sells drugs. Stockert sells lace curtains.

Fine A B C beer, Neumayer's hotel. Victor Heaters. Bixby & Sons, agents. Wollman, scientific optician, 40 B way

Ideal heads in water colors. C. E. Alexander & Co., 333 Broadway.
W. F. Graff, undertaker and disinfector,
101 South Main streest. Phone 506. Henry DeLong, jr., has returned from a visit with relatives in Chicago and Michi-

Wanted, to trade a city lot for young driving horse. Address D, Bee office, Coun-cil Bluffs.

O. E. Beswick left last evening for Kearney, Neb., where he was called by the death of his brother, J. C. Beswick. Three new cases of smallpox in the Os-borne family, 113 Ridge street, were re-ported to the Board of Health yesterday. J. P. Hess has been appointed temporary guardian of Mrs. Kate Feeley, recently committed to the insane asylum at Cla-rinda.

Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Leverett and son James and nephew, Raymond Sanford, have gone to Kansas City and Collins. Mo., on a visit to relatives.

The meeting of Unity guild of Grace church, to have been this afternoon at the home of Mrs. Harcourt, has been postponed until Wednesday. Alfred Blomberg, the saloon keeper in Cut Off who has been in the county jail since the jary failed to reach a verdict in his case, was released yesterday on a \$300

Wishing to retire I am offering for sale my entire business—wood, coal, feed and grocery—with all improvements. For par-ticulars inquire of Thomas Rishton, 2406 West Broadway.

The Odd Fellows will have their annual memorial services Sunday afternoon at 3 in their temple. The principal address will be delivered by Rev. W. H. Cable of Trinity Methodist church.

. Judge Aylesworth of the superior court has taken under advisement the motion for the transfer of the school treasurer case of Davis against Haverstock from his court to the district court.

G. G. Baird, deputy clerk of the district court, has gone to Avoca, to take charge of the office there, while Deputy Batty is altending the meeting of the Masonic grand lodge in Dayenport.

Fred Green, the Fred Green, the negro arrested onesus-picion of being implicated in the burglary

at Greenberg's grocery store on Broadway, was discharged in police court yesterlay morning, there being no evidence against him.

Sheriff S. N. Taylor of Grand Island was in this city yesterday on his way to Des Moines, to secure requisition papers for the return of James McCalmant, wanted in the Nebraska town to answer to a charge of assault with intent to do great bodily injury.

N. Y. Plumbing Co., telephone 250.

VETERAN OF THE CIVIL WAR. Hiram Cassel Dies Suddenly of Acute

Hiram Cassel, a veteran of the civil war of 615 North Seventh street, died at 2 yesterday morning, after having been ill but a few hours. Indigestion which affected the heart is ascribed as the cause. He was born in Marietta, Pa., June 1, 1827. He enlisted October 12, 1861, in the Pennsylvania infantry and received an bonorable discharge June 27, 1865. He was a member of Encampment No. 8, Union Veteran Legion, which will have charge of the funeral. He was unmarried and his only relatives, as far as is known, live in Pennsylvanis. Dr. John Green was appointed special administrator of his estate vesterfay, as Cassel owned considerable property

Gravel roofing. A. H. Read, 541 Broad'y. Marries Jefferson's Mayor.

Mise Edna Bonham, daughter of Mr. and

Mrs. I. C. Bonham, was married last evening at the home of her parents on North First street to Mahlon M. Head, banker and mayor of Jefferson, la. After the ceremony, which was witnessed by a large gathering of relatives and friends of the bride and groom, Mr. and Mrs. Head left for an extended journey among the larger

Davis sells paint.

Sues for Five Thousand. Mrs. J. L. Hill filed original notice in the district court yesterday of suit against the Omaha & Council Bluffs Railway and Bridge company for \$5,000 for alleged injuries received June 22, 1899, while alighting from a street car. In the notice she recites that she was thrown violently to the pavement and received serious and per-

Real Estate Transfers, These transfers were filed yesterday in the abstract, title and loan office of J. W.

Squire, 101 Pear; street: Mary E. Bodurtha and husband to John H. Kelly, lot 2, block 14, Hall's ad, w. d.
Ira S. Bean to Benjamin L. Bean, lot
9, block 11, Pierce's subdiv. w. d.
Manford S. Baughn and wife to G. J.
Kuhn, lot 12, block 30, Beers' subdiv.

Maher, lot 12, Rice's South avenue subdiv, w. d. undreas and Sarah C. Christiansen to John M. Madden, lots 14, 15, 16 and 17, block 51, Railroad add, w. d. Sounty treasurer to Council Bluffs Real Estate Improvement company, lot 7, block 8, Fleming & Davis add

Total seven transfers \$ 1,335



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FARM LOANS 5 BER

Judge Wheeler's Decision Is in Favor of Cunningham.

NO INJUNCTION TO STOP HIS PAY

County Officials is of No Avail-Exhaustive Review of the

Law in the Case.

Judge Wheeler of the district court, in his decision handed down yesterday morning in the tax-ferret injunction suit of Frank Shinn against the Board of County Supervisors, county auditor and county treasurer, held that the contract made by the county board with F. M. Cunningham to ferret out personal property which had been omitted or withheld from assessment. been omitted or withheld from assessment was valid. He denied the application for an injunction to restrain the county officials from paying Cunningham under the contract.

The contract between the county board and Cunningham was entered into on November 13, 1899. Under it Cunningham was employed to ferret out personal property subject to taxation which had been con-walk of Council Bluffs. ccaled or omitted from assessment. As to 50 per cent of the moneys collected into to the schools having the largest attendthe county treasury through his efforts.

Shinn attacked the validity of the contract on the grounds that the county board had no authority to enter into such a contract, that it was ultra vires and contrary to public policy and that the contract in question had been annulled by section 5 of chapter 1 of the acts of the twenty-eighth general assembly, which provided that all contracts entered into by county boards with tax ferrets were null and void unless the tax ferret, within thirty days after the passage of the act, signified in writing a willingness to accept 15 per cent in lieu of the 50 per cent remuneration for the

It is the County's Business. Regarding the authority of the board to enter into the contract with Cunningham | the largest number present. Judge Wheeler in his opinion says: "It is

well settled that the board of supervisors has such power only as is expressly granted of the award. by statute or clearly implied therein. The code in section 422 provides that the boards shall have the power, among other things, to represent their respective counties and to have the care and management of the property and business thereof in all cases where no other provision shall be made." This section is as broad as language can make it, if this contract comes within the business of the county. The supreme court has held in construing this very statute that it is the business of the county to collect taxes and to use all reasonable means to do it. It holds that, while it is the duty of the treasurer to collect such taxes as are collectible by the ordinary methods, his duty ceases when he has done so and if there are other taxes which might be collected by other methods the board has the implied power, under this section, to

tion of such taxes by other methods." Referring to a case in which the supreme court held that a county has the right to offer a reward for the recovery of stolen county funds, Judge Wheeler says:

contract with some person for the collec-

Duty of No Other Officer.

Regarding the contention of the plaintiff that the work for which Cunningham was employed was the duty of some county officer, Judge Wheeler says: "Under our statutes it is not made the duty of any officer to ferret out this omitted property. The assessor may add it, if it comes to his knowledge while the books are in his hands. the board of review may likewise place it upon the list if it is brought to its attention, but after the books have been completed and have gone into the hands of the county treasurer there is not a single officer whose duty it is to make the investigation necessary to unearth it. The law provides that the treasurer shall, 'when apprised of the omission of property, proceed to list it and collect tax upon it, but it is 475 | not made his duty to make any investigation to discover it. The contract in question was made for the purpose of 'apprising' the treasurer of such omissions, to the end that he might be enabled to list and assess

the property." Immaterial How Compensated. Regarding the contention that the conract involves the payment of money out of the county general fund for the collection of money belonging to the school, road and various other special funds, Judge Wheeler holds that it is immaterial to the validity of the contract whether the compensation to Cunningham is paid out of the general

fund or proportionately from all funds collected by the county. As to the contention that the contract had been nullified by the act of the twentyeighth general assembly, Judge Wheeler, concluding his opinion, says: "In view of what has been said above concerning the validity of this contract, it is needless to eighth general assembly wherein such con-

the contrary." Settles Cass County Case. ecides a similar suit in the Cass county court brought by a taxpayer to restrain Tax Ferret C. W. Wellman from operating under a 50 per cent contract, which was

recently tried before him and which he has | nicipality. had under advisement. A decree similar to the one in the Cunningham case was sent to Atlantic yesterday. Judge Thornell, when he granted a tem-

porary injunction last February in the Shinn-Cunningham case, while refraining from handing down any written opinion, inimated that the contract was contrary to public policy and speculative, inasmuch as Cunningham on his part agreed to bear all legal expenses that might arise. -

Cunningham's work has been the means of recovering a large sum of money in the way of taxes into the county treasury. Preasurer Arnd stated yesterday that upward of \$14,000 had been paid in by persons owning property which had been omitted from taxation. On the 50 per cent easis Cunningham's compensation to date would amount to \$7,000. Several cases in which a large amount of taxes are involved

Freight Agents to Entertain.

and entertain 450 of the members of the CONFER ON INSANE ASYLUM national association when they pass through Omaha Monday on their way to the convention at Denver. A motor ride from the Millard hotel to Lake Manawa in TAX FERRET CONTRACT GOOD the morning is on the program. J. M. Oursler, agent of the Union Pacific, is president of the local association,

> POTTAWATTAMIE SUNDAY SCHOOLS Twenty-Minth Annual Convention of

> County Association. The twenty-ninth annual convention o the Pottawattamie Sunday School associa-

tion will open in this city this morning and last over Saturday. Today's sessions will Frank Shinn's Effort to Restrain be held in the German Methodist church. where the following program will be carried

secretary.

2:20 p. m.—"Round Table," Rev. Alexander of Council Bluffs.

2:45 p. m.—Address, "Sunday School Gospel." Rev. W. J. Calfee of Council Bluffs.

2:15 p. m.—Business and election of offi-

3:45 p. m.—Address to be provided.
7:30 p. m.—Song and praise service.
8 p. m.—Address, "Our Relation to Assofation Work," A. D. Sailee of Davenport,
a. field worker Iowa State Sunday School
issociation.
8:30 p. m.

Saturday the sessions will be held in ompensation he was to receive a sum equal Fairmount park and prizes will be awarded

ance on the grounds, as follows:

1. For the Council Bluffs school with largest per cent of enrollment present on grounds, \$19.
2. For the Council Bluffs school with second largest percent of enrollment present. 2. For the town or city school outside of cil Bluffs with largest per cent of cn-

Council Bluffs with largest per cent of chroliment present, \$10.

4. For the country school with largest per cent of enrollment present, \$10.

5. For the country school with second largest per cent of enrollment present, \$5. In addition to the above funds have been provided for two special prizes, a first prize of \$20 and a second prize of \$5, to go to the schools bringing the largest number and next largest number of persons on the grounds. Open to Omaha, South Omaha or anywhere, the only consideration being

Prof. Clifford, superintendent of the city chools, and N. P. Dodge will act as judges

Standing of the Companies.

Colonel Olmsted and Major Hume have ompleted their inspection of the companies of the Fifty-first regiment, Iowa National guard, and have made their final report. The standing of the companies is as ollows: Des Moines, 71.6; Villisca, 79.2; Glenwood, 87.9; Knoxville, 91.2; Shenandeah, 84.3; Oskaloosa, 92.8; Chariton, 70.1; Bedford, 76.2; Corning, 86.1; Council Bluffs 84.6; Red Oak, 97.1.

Davis sells glass.

ALTER FARM LAND VALUES

ounty Supervisors Decide to Undo Some of Their Former Work. The Board of County Commissioners was the equalization of farm land valuations. the property of the public each year. It is the business and duty of the county to collect this percentage. It is just as much the property of the public each year. It is the business and duty of the county to collect this percentage. It is just as much the property of the public when unlawfully withheld by concealment as though it were locked in the vault of the county treasurer. He who unlawfully withhelds it is as guilty as he who takes it after collection. If the county board has authority to offer compensation to him who finds what has been stolen, there is no teason why it should not have authority to offer him a compensation who finds that which has been concealed.

Duty of No Other Officer. to \$11.11; Rockford, changed from \$8.50 to \$8.32; Vailey, changed from \$11 to \$10.81; Washington, changed from \$11.70 to \$11.12 Waveland, changed from \$11 to \$10.62: Wright, changed from \$11.50 to \$11.04; York, changed from \$10.50 to \$10.67; Kane (outside) changed from \$35 to \$35.70

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On live stock the valuation	ns placed	by the
assessors were equalized as	follows:	(4) 20 0000
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	Average	Equal-
and the second second	Value	ized.
Horses-1-year-old	\$ 6.04	\$ 7.00
2-year-old	8.76	10.00
3-year-old	11.90	13.00
Stallions	44.40	53.28
Millor	12 61	14.97
Helfers-1-year-old	4 98	5.00
2-year-old	2.70	6.00
2 man old	9.15	
3-year-old	6.10	7.00
Steers-1-year-old	6.10	6,00
2-year-old	7.90	8.00
3-year-old	10.38	10.00
Feeding cattle	9.51	10.00
The work of equalization	on as it	now
stands is expected to add	shout \$750	0000 +-

tands is expected to add about \$750,000 to the taxable valuation of the county on

500,000 above 1899. The board did not hold an afternoon session as the supervisors were the guests of City Assessor Everest at a fish supper at Augustine's.

Good wages paid to a competent girl. Mrs. S. Farnsworth, 301 South Eighth St. WILL REFUND PAVING BONDS.

City by This Plan Saves a Considerable Sum in Interest. City officials are contemplating a propoliscuss the effect of the acts of the twenty- sition to refund \$65,000 of outstanding intersection paving and grading bonds. The tracts are declared void. If this contract bonds in question were issued from 1887 to

was valid when made, no legislative act can 1891 and the option on them has expired. affect its validity. No one will contend to The city has no funds to take them up. but the eastern parties holding these bonds are willing to exchange them for refunding Judge Wheeler's ruling in this case also bonds. The proposition is a money saver for the city, as the bonds carry 6 per cent. while the refunding bonds can be issued at 41/2 per cent, and this would mean a considerable saving in interest for the mu-

> at a lower rate of interest. The refunding Ia. bonds cannot be sold by the city, as such action would increase the city's indebtedness beyond the constitutional limit. A manual exchange of the bonds must be exor so ago issued \$100,000 bonds to refund the outstanding general indebtedness. Some action toward the refunding of these intersection paving and grading bonds is looked for at the next meeting of the

Licenses to wed were issued yesterday to the following:

Beard of Control and the County Eupervisers Ditous Management.

COMPLAINTS OF FILTHY CONDITION MADE

Difference of Onlulon in Regard to Required Number of Attendants-Bugler Who Scaled Pekin Wall to Be Home Soon.

(Prom a Staff Correspondent.) DES MOINES. June 6 .- (Special.) -The State Board of Control and members of the conference this afternoon on the matter of

which there are county asylums for the restraint of the insane. Last month Superintendent Witte of the state hospital at Clarinda paid a visit to the asylum near Des Moines and made an extensive report on the condition of affairs. This report formed the basis for the conference today.

In general he reported that in certain wards the patients were not cared for; that they and their cells were in a flithy condition; the custom of bathing two or more of lowed; that there were not a sufficient number of attendants and that the rules laid down by the Board of Control for the government of county and private asylums are not followed. Members of the Board of Supervisors replied, stating that in regard to the bathing there is not an abundant supply of water and other matters complained of have been remedied. But in regard to the number of attendants, there is a distinct difference between the Board of Control and the supervisors. The latter insist they have a sufficient number of attendants. There the 104 inmates in the asylum, nearly all of whom have been pronounced incurable. It is the largest county asylum in the

Want More Attendants.

The Board of Control insists there should be at least three male attendants and two female attendants in the daytime and two employes on watch at night. Members of the Board of Supervisors object to this, but partially regreed to add a number of attendants and give the inmates better care. The policy of the Board of Control is to require considerable improvement in the condition of the various county and private asylums or insist upon having all in the insane taken to the state hospitals. The state is building a fourth hospital and will soon be in position to care for every insane person in the state. The growth of local asylums for the care of incurables has been marked in recent years. A number of counties have abandoned their asylums rather than live up to the rigid rules required by the Board of Control. Polk county has a costly asylum and will come up to the rules. The conference was satisfactory, though the county authorities will comply with the rules with

reluctancs. Titus Will Soon Be Home.

It is learned that Calvin Pearl Titus of Vinton is visiting in Colorado Springs with oct altogether satisfied with its work of an uncle. He will be joined there by his Wednesday and yesterday decided to undo sister, who has been teaching in Vinton. some of it and take another whirl at the and he will then return to his home before equalization of the assessment. The result going to West Point. Private Titus was a was that a number of changes were made in member of the Fourteenth infantry and mher of the Fourteenth infan gained fame by scaling the walls at Pekin on the work of the lodge the last year; The changes made yesterday are said to be ahead of all others and under dangerous Initiated final and are: Boomer township, valuation circumstances. He was recommended to Raised per acre changed from \$9 to \$8.95; Center, the president for special recognition and Admitted the president appointed him a cadet at changed from \$8 to \$7.85; Garner, changed West Point. The people of Vinton have made arrangements to give him a grand reception on his return home.

For Support of Soldiers. The state treasury has received a draft for \$1,851.30 from the United States treas-

urer, being the amount due for care of 484 members of the lowa Soldiers home for the quarter ended June 30, 1900, which amount \$10.50 to \$10.40; Pleasant, changed from \$11 aggregated \$12,100. The latest draft is for balance due, as at the time of previous payment the appropriation had not been made. Prosperous State University. The report of President MacLean of the

lowa State university shows that that institution is in a highly prosperous condition. The attendance increased from 1,438 in 1899-1900-to 1,542 in the year just closing. This has been despite the turning away of over 200 applications by rigorous examinations and requirements. The regis tration in the collegiate department is 802. making the university by far the largest collegiate institution in the state. A class of over thirty will be given diplomas. The university has made a fine showing this year in athletics. A meeting of the regents will be held this week, and the estimates will be made out for appropriations to be asked of the next legislature. A new \$200,000 medical building will be asked for.

Foresters Elect Officers. The grand court of the Foresters for Minfarm lands. While no definite figures are nesota and lowa was held in Oskaloosa this obtainable, County Auditor Innes esti- week, with nearly 300 delegates present. mates that the taxable valuation of the The following are the officers elected: county for 1901 will be in the neighbor- Grand chief ranger, S. L. Graham, Othood of \$14,000,000, which will be nearly tumwa; sub chief ranger. John Wilson, an increase of \$2,000,000 over 1900 and \$1,- Minneapolis; grand recording secretary. James Spavin, Oskaloosa; grand treasurer, Terrance Connolly, Cedar Rapids; grand secretary, Lister Burger, Cedar Rapids; grand junior woodard. Charles Mitchell, Albia; an expenditure of either time or money. grand junior beadle, J. L. Smith, Des Moines; trustees, M. L. Roby, Harry Cuhner and Frank Anderson; grand court auditors, John Jones, J. A. Johnson and F. A. Winslow; supreme representative, James Gordon of St. Paul, James Spavin of Oskaloosa; alternates, E. M. Sutherland of Minneapolis, J. B. Gourley of Cedar Rapids.

Cattle Killed by Lightning. The season for lightning accidents is at hand and the first report to the state crop department is of the death of eleven head of young cattle in Washington township, burned, but not fatally. Cass county. They belonged to the herd of Thomas Burke and were instantly killed by a bolt of lightning. They were worth from \$20 to \$30 a head.

Pt. Dodge Railway Election These officers were elected at the annual meeting of the Des Moines & Fort The intersection paving and grading Dodge railway today: President, C. N. bonds, once the option has expired on them. Gilmore, Des Moines; secretary, Carroll bonds, once the option has expired on them. Gilmore, Des Moines; secretary, Carroll Monday, June 10-Anniversary alumnal are not a negotiable commodity, and this Wright, Des Moines. The present board of association; 2:30 p. m. alumnal program; s explains the reason of the persons holding directors was re-elected with the exception them being willing and, in fact, anxious of D. N. McDonald of New York, who was to exchange them for refunding bonds even succeeded by W. N. Stillwell of Dansonses. to exchange them for refunding bonds even succeeded by W. N. Stillwell of Davenport,

Shennndonh Store is Robbed. SHENANDOAH, Ia., June 6 .- (Special.) Burglars entered the Shenandoah Racket pected, as was done when the city a year slore, owned by George Pulley, Saturday evening. All the cash in the drawer was taken, as well as a small amount of goods. Case of Smallpox at Imogene.

> SHENANDOAH, Ia., June 6 .- (Special.)-Word was received here from Imogene that Rose Abbott, a 4-year-old child, was taken with smallpox. This is the only case of smallpox at Imogene. To Erect Seed Corn House. SHENANDOAH, Ia., June 6 .- (Special.)-

for a mammoth seed corn house, which they will erect upon the ground occupied by their buildings which were destroyed by fire in February. The new building will be of brick, 36x80 feet, and will have a basement and two stories.

HONORS GRAND SECRETARY

Committee from Grand Lodge Visits Bedside of Theodore S. Parvin.

DES MOINES, June 6 .- (Special.) - Between the grand lodge of the lowa Masons, in session this week in Davenport, and the home of the veteran grand secretary of the lodge, Theodore S. Parvin, in Cedar Rapids, there was a double journey of a committee of the grand lodge and incidents connected therewith which will live in the annals of Masonry in Iowa. Grand Secretary Parvin is lying ill at his home and for the first time in the history of the grand lodge has been unable to attend. He was one of those who signed the application for the establishment of the first Masonic lodge of the state and he has ever Board of Supervisors of Polk county held a since been identified with the order. But he is now too feeble to rise from his bed. the proper management of the county in- So, when the grand lodge opened and the sane asylum at Des Moines. The conference formal words of welcome had been said, interests not alone the people of this Grand Master Eaton told how a few days county, but of the sixty-four countles in before he had visited Grand Secretary Parvin and had listened to his words of greet ing to the lodge. He said:

"Tell the Masons of Iowa that I have put my life, my very soul, into the Masonic library. Tell them that if they would do aught to honor my memory and at the same time add enduring honor to their profession as Masons, that they keep up and advance the work upon which I have been engaged. Tell them, too, from one who is close upon eternity, to ever act up to all the inmates in the same water was fol- that the fraternity means in clean living, in morality.

Reply of the Grand Lodge.

When this message was given the grand ledge Judge A. R. Dewey of Washington county spoke in reply and formulated a message to the grand secretary, in which

"Though the silver cord may soon be loosened; though the golden bowl may soon be broken; though the pitcher may soon be dashed to pieces; though old age and enfeebled condition may surround you; though the ides of time may have reduced your once vigorous body to a condition o enfeeblement and weakness, bear in mind that the soul-stirring vigor you ever possessed is fresh and green in the minds and memory of Iowa Masons.

"Highly thoughtful of your Christian, moral and Masonic worth, we hereby tender you the sincere esteem, high regard and deep affection of the craft of Iowa, and thus, the grand lodge joins with one accord in the fervent prayer that the Lord will ever bless you and keep you, and so will the Masons of Iowa ever pray."

In addition to the unanimous adoption of message to Father Parvin, who is beloved of all the Masons in Iowa, a committee consisting of Messrs. Gamble, Ball, Lampert, Dewey Hunter and Ereanbrack was appointed to go in person to Cedar Rapids and visit the veteran. This committee visited him, found him too feeble to rise from his bed, but with keen intellect and thoughtful of the welfare of the Masonic fraternity. They read to him the message and received another in reply. Although they were with him but a few minutes he sank back exhausted. The report of the committee, when it returned from Cedar Rapids, made a profound impression on the Masonic body, and the report was ordered spread upon the records of the grand

Year's Work of the Lodge.

The grand lodge selected Dubuque as the LUTHERANS COMPLETE WORK place of meeting next year. The report of Suspended for unmasonic conduct. Suspended for nonpayment of dues. Expelled Withdrawn, etc. Total decrease Total membership, per report 1901. Total membership, per report 1900.

FIGHT OVER CONSOLIDATION The Muhlenberg mission in South Africa District Near Cedar Falls in Controversy About Proposed Change

Discrepancy

in Schools. CEDAR FALLS, Ia., June 6 .- (Special.) - | blenntal period were appointed. Lincoln township has a school fight. An question of consolidation was voted upon, calling on the people to recognize the sanc-Both sides were active. The women turned cration of churches, rejoicing in the work out in force and many voted. It is their of the women of the church and finally rewas declared unconstitutional by a lower court and that the supreme court has not

passed on the question. The heavy land owners in the outer edge of the township claim they have been unjustly discriminated against, as they have creased in value. They also say that they will be obliged to make long drives to get the children to school, while those living senior woodard, James Brain, Mystic; grand near the building will not be put to such

> STRIKES THE SCHOOL HOUSE Lightning Near Littleton Fatally In jures Student and the

Teacher.

CEDAR FALLS, Ia., June 6 .- During hailstorm last night near Littleton lightjured Paul Roberts, a pupil, and the teacher,

State Commencement Program. AMES, Ia., June 6 .- (Special.) -The State college commencement will be June 8-12. Following is the program: Saturday Evening, June 8, 7:30—Annual junior contest and recital.

Sunday, June 9, 2:30 p. m.—Baccalaureate address by Dr. W. M. Beardshear, presi-

department.
Wednesday, 7:30 p. m.-Commencement exercises, address by Hon. J. P. Dolliver. The new college year begins August 27.

Business Change at Shenandonh. SHENANDOAH, Ia., June 6 .- (Special.)-The Delmonico hotel was sold to Lake & Dunnegan for \$6,250. The original cost of the property was \$18,000. It is a two-story feet will be added to it at once.

Hon. L. W. Lewis is Nominated. SHENANDOAH, Ia., June 6 .- (Special.) The senatorial convention met here Tuesday and nominated Hon. L. W. Lewis of Clar- son on last Saturday entered the jail, broke inda for senator. During the convention the lock of Bishop's cell and set him free. speeches were made by Mr. Lewis and Con- Jackson was soon arrested and Bishop was R. Ratekin & Son have completed plans gressman Hepburn.

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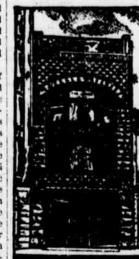
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General Synod Calls on People to Recognize gabbath fanctity.

REJOICES IN WORK OF THE WOMEN

Reaffirms Allegiance to the Present Basis of the General Synod-Muhlenberg Mission to Be Abandoned.

DES MOINES June 6.-The general synod of the Evangelical Lutheran church, which has been in session in this city ten days, completed its work this evening and

adjourned without day. The time and place of next meeting were left for the executive officers to decide was left with the board of missions for final disposition, and probably will be abandoned. The question of establishing a church paper was decided in the negative. Many standing committees for the next

Resolutions were adopted commending election was held several days ago and the the work of the American Tract society. resulting in a victory for those favoring it. tity of the Lord's day, indorsing the fedvotes that will decide the cause finally. Joicing that the church is unshaken in Those opposed have brought the charge of scriptural and historic faith and reaffirmillegal voting by women under age and by ing allegiance to the present basis of the some who were not citizens of the vicinity. general synod and against making any dis-A plea has been advanced that the state law | tinction between fundamental and so-called nonfundamental doctrines in the Augsberg

confession Among the reports made today was that of the temperance committee in favor of the anti-canteen law, intimating that the press is being subsidized by whisky adbeen taxed while their land will be de- vertisements. The deaconness board reported that institution in a fine condition. The report on the work of the Women's Missions made an excellent showing. The committee on Sunday schools reported increased attendance and funds.

G. A. R. ENCAMPMENT CLOSES

Installation of Officers Marks Last Night of State Gathering

DUBUQUE, la., June 6 .- The state Grand Army encampment closed tonight with installation of officers. Eighteen delegates ning struck the school house and fatally in- and eighteen alternates to the national encampment were chosen. These were ap Miss Jane Harvey. Seven other pupils were pointed council of administration: D. W. McElroy, Keckuk; William Dean, Tipton G. L. Godfrey, Des Moines; G. H. Weish Boone; W. H. Barker, Sloux City. DUBUQUE, Ia., June 6 .- The state Grand Army of the Republic encampment today decided to meet at Des Motnes pext year. Officers elected were: Commander, George Metzger, Davenport: senior vice commander, M. H. Byers, Glenwood; junior vice commander, H. M. Pickle, Des Moines medical director, Dr. T. G. Maxwell, Keokuk; chaplain, William Klinefelter, Center

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bery Accused of Aiding Prisoner DENISON, Ia., June 6 .- (Special.) -- Jackie Jackson, one of the men who were tried and structure, and a two-story addition 57x80 acquitted on the charge of robbing the express at Manilla, and his friends have been having a good time since Jackson's acquittal, and as a result James Bishop, one of

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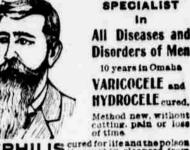
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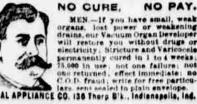
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